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SAN SALVADOR WIPE OUT BY FIERY BLAST

CAPITAL OF SALVADOR SAID TO
HAVE BEEN DESTROYED
LAST NIGHT.

CITY HAD 50,000 INHABITANTS

Details Meagre—Nearby Towns Said
To Have Also Been Destroyed
By Volcano.

(Associated Press)

San Juan Del Sur, Nicaragua—San Salvador, the capital of the republic of Salvador, with population of more than 50,000 people, has been destroyed, according to a dispatch from San Miguel, Salvador.

There are no details, but the cause of the catastrophe was undoubtedly an earthquake or volcanic eruption.

An operator who reached the edge of the deserted zone said everything within a radius of 30 miles from San Salvador was destroyed, including several other towns.

Another report says people are sitting in the streets.

A report from American Minister Long, San Salvador, at 6 last night while the volcano was erupting, said part of the city had been destroyed by fire, but that the fire was under control. Great damage had been done up to that time, the dispatch said.

LIBERTY LOAN TALK AT BORDEN FACTORY

J. H. BYERS ADDRESSED MEETING AT DIXON FACTORY THIS AFTERNOON.

Albert Borst, superintendent of the Borden Condensed Milk Co., in this city has arranged for his entire plant to shut down at 3:30 this afternoon for a Liberty Loan meeting of the employees. The meeting will be addressed by John H. Byers, who is out from Washington, and other speakers will explain to the employees how they may subscribe to the Liberty Loan by making installment payments.

The Borden company has purchased a large amount of these bonds and will re-sell them to employees at cost, and is making arrangements whereby the employees of the various plants can pay for the bonds in easy payments.

ASHTON L. O. O. F. MEMORIAL

The Ashton Lodge, No. 977, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will hold memorial exercises on Sunday afternoon at the L. O. O. F. hall, Rev. Geo. W. Stoddard of this city has been invited to deliver the memorial address.

BOY SCOUTS TROOP 4 ATTENTION

The troop will meet at the Methodist church Saturday at 9:30 a.m. for some patriotic work. Let every member attend.

Paul Byers Writes of Experience in U.S. Navy Training Camp in East

Paul Byers, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Byers of this city, who has enlisted in the United States navy, writes the following interesting letter to his people in Dixon, telling of his life so far in training and containing information for Dixon boys who may be considering joining the navy:

Norfolk, Va., June 5, 1917.

Dear "Dad,"

I arrived at Norfolk Saturday night at 11 o'clock. We had a sleep after we left Cincinnati. I enjoyed the trip to the coast very much. At 12 o'clock we had to line up and sign papers. At 2 in the morning the officer walked us to our sleeping quarters for the night. Some quarters. He said "Boys, find a place." All I could find was a bundle of empty sacks for a pillow and the floor was made of cement. I then thought of my bed at home.

We were called at 6 in the morning and at 7 had mess. I was so hungry I

SHERIFF PHILIPS AFTER THE SLACKERS

LOCAL AUTHORITIES GETTING A LINE ON THOSE WHO REFUSED TO REGISTER

Sheriff R. R. Phillips is on the alert for the young men who refused to register Tuesday. Word has reached his office that at least a half dozen men refused to register. It is reported that two reside in the city and several are working at the cement plant.

The sheriff is investigating, and if he can find the boys who refused to register he will demand an explanation.

"I have received no instructions as yet," the sheriff said this morning, "but when I do I shall get busy."

"I shall do my duty in this matter. I realize some might have failed to register because of ignorance of the law, but from them I shall expect a satisfactory explanation."

Sheriff Phillips does not care to do anything rash relative to this matter but he feels that the law must be lived up to.

CROWDS ATTEND THE MOOSE BAND SHOWS

THREATENING WEATHER FAILS
TO KEEP DIXON PEOPLE
FROM CARNIVAL

Threatening weather failed to keep amusement lovers from the Ed. A. Evans Greater shows last night. The largest attendance of the week was reported and all the attractions showed a perceptible increase in business.

Last night was quiet on the British dog and pony show, each performance being to capacity. This attraction is the best ever seen with a traveling organization of this kind and deserves the great Slavic country may soon

good patronage. Monkeys, dogs and ponies are seen in a diversified program of merit. Josephine, the big educated gorilla, is featured, and her fans are now confronted by two of the entertainment atoms

thirds of the entire Austrian army, as the result of concentration of formidable forces from the Russian front.

All the attractions are clean and meritorious and only good weather is needed to make the engagement of the Evans shows successful. The Moose band members have worked hard to make the week a gala one, but as usual the weather has been against them.

Three days remain and should the weather man condescend to bestow a little seasonable weather on the shows, a record-breaking attendance is anticipated.

Nick's Big Athletic Show at the carnival grounds in Davenport is one of the hits of the week. Frankie Connolly, Charlie Kain, Cy Young, boxers, and Jack Herrick, boxer and wrestlers, are meeting all comers regardless of weight.

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ASKS FOR SERVICE

Aid to Secretary Daniels
Wants a Fighting Job.

Photo by American Press Association.
Lieutenant Byron McCandless, an aid to Secretary Daniels in the navy department, has found things too slow on shore. He has asked for a command and of a destroyer so that he can get where he can see active service in battling with submarines.

SITUATION IN RUSSIA IS GROWING HOPEFUL

Radicals' Power Wanes as Kerensky's Grip Tightens.

Washington, June 8.—A general improvement of conditions in Russia from the viewpoint of the United States and allied governments is reported in official dispatches to the state department.

Two important developments, relieving the grave aspect of last week's situation in Petrograd have come to the knowledge of the government here. They are:

First—The Russian army is in better condition than unofficial dispatches have indicated. Discipline, which was completely shattered by the events of the revolution, is being restored. War Minister Kerensky is again gaining the upper hand.

Second—The provisional government is gaining its second wind and is acquiring a stronger grasp on the country. Outside of Petrograd and Moscow the radical soldiers and workmen's committee has no hold on the country.

DENIES CHINA PLOT STORY

Lansing Says That United States Did Not Back Uprising in China.

Washington, June 8.—Secretary Lansing most emphatically denied reports that the United States was supporting the revolutionary movement in China and had even furnished funds for it.

"My attention has been called," said Mr. Lansing, "to certain charges to far eastern papers that this country was supporting the revolutionary movement in China and had even furnished large sums of money for its aid. This is absolutely false. The United States has taken no action toward the revolution of any sort. America's great and constant interest in China, as with all friendly nations, is the prevalence of good order and domestic tranquility."

MILLION MAY DIE, SAYS TAFT

Declares America Must Realize It is Engaged in Terrible War.

Ames, Ia., June 8.—That the United States is engaged in a struggle with Germany that may last for years was the warning sounded here by former President William H. Taft to the 1917 graduating class of Iowa state college.

"Germany is not exhausted," Mr. Taft said. "She can only be conquered by heroic struggle. To do this we must give up our happy go lucky spirit. We may have to give a million lives in return for the 200 already lost, but it will be worth it if we rid the world of the Prussian military domination that has become unbearable."

LAURIER REJECTS COALITION

Compulsory Service Proposal Potent With Difficulties, He Thinks.

Ottawa, June 8.—Correspondence made public shows that Sir Wilfred Laurier definitely has refused to join Premier Borden in the work of joining a coalition government to enact a measure for compulsory military service.

Sir Wilfred expressed regret that he had not been asked to form the coalition before the compulsory service was announced, as he feared difficulties if conscription was determined upon by the present parliament.

WAR DODGERS IN JAIL HUGE WAR BUDGET IS CONTINUE TO MENACE HALTED IN CONGRESS

Sheriff At Rockford, Ill., Asks Kelly of Michigan Scents Graft for Troops.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., June 8.—Sheriff Ginders of Rockford telegraphed Governor Lowden asking permission to use state troops on federal duty near Rockford to prevent trouble in event of disturbances over the arrest of I. W. W. agitators, more than 100 of whom are in jail for refusing to register Tuesday.

Chicago, June 8.—District Attorney Clyne reported that the situation at Rockford was well in hand. He said 140 Socialists, I. W. W., and conscription dodgers were under arrest in Winnebago county, of which Rockford is the county seat. All of the prisoners are held in jails in Rockford, Belvidere and Freeport.

Rockford, Ill., June 8.—There was no recurrence of the disorder which Wednesday night kept the jail in a turmoil and showered corridor floors with broken window panes. Lack of cell room to confine the men who entered the jail caused the transfer of groups of the men to other jails.

Few of the men would talk, but one young fellow said:

"We just don't want to register. Some of us are Industrial Workers of the World, some Socialists and some church members."

SOLONS TO WALK TO CHICAGO

Murphy and Ryan in Bet as to Which Can First Reach City.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., June 8.—Representative Timothy D. Murphy from "back of the yard" bet Representative Frank Ryan of the Second Chicago district \$100 that he can beat him walking to Chicago. "Tim" is more than six feet tall and weighs about 190.

The terms of the walking match are that they start on the hike immediately after adjournment of the legislature no matter what the hour or what the weather conditions may be.

MINERS TAKE \$100,000 LOAN

Illinois Union Will Remit Dues of All Members in War Service.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., June 8.—The United Mine Workers of Illinois in executive conference decided to purchase \$100,000 worth of liberty bonds.

At the same time President Frank Farrington announced that all miners who engage in military service will retain their union rights, but will be relieved of the payment of dues during their service.

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SOCIETY

Friday

Presbyterian Candlelighters, Mrs. George Loveland.

Wantoknow Club, Mrs. Mark Brown.

Saturday

D. A. R. Meeting, Mrs. M. H. Vail.

Red Cross Home Care Classes Nachusa Tavern.

Monday

W. R. C. Meeting, G. A. R. Hall

Nelson Man Weds

David Wolf, of Nelson, Ill., and Miss Mary Murphy of Peotonia, Ill., were united in marriage at 9 o'clock, Monday, at St. Peter's Catholic church in Peotonia. Rev. P. H. McKeon performed the ceremony. James Wolf was groomsman and Miss Martina Wolf was bridesmaid. At 11 o'clock at the bride's home a delicious light luncheon was served. There were present about forty friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Wolf left for the West on their wedding trip. They will make an extended tour of the western states and will be at home about July 1st, in Sterling, Ill.

Graduates from DeKalb

Miss Frances Austin, daughter of Mrs. F. Austin and a niece of Dr. Sickels of this city, will graduate on the coming Thursday from the Household Science Department of the DeKalb Normal. Miss Austin will have charge of the Domestic Science Department of the Mendota High School the coming year.

To Decorate Graves

The ladies of the Relief Corps will decorate the graves of their deceased members on Tuesday afternoon, June 12th.

W. R. C. Meeting

The Woman's Relief Corps will meet in regular session Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Rebekah Lodge to Elect

The Rebekah lodge will elect officers at the regular meeting this evening.

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Sanders School Closes

The Sanders School closed Friday with a picnic dinner enjoyed by over 50 people from the district. A program was given by the school in the afternoon, assisted by Mrs. F. A. Graham and son of Ashton, who each gave several readings. Rev. F. A. Graham also gave a talk. The entire program was greatly enjoyed. Miss Anna Nerstad, the teacher, closed her third year as teacher at the school and for the coming year has accepted a position in a village school.

At Sterling Wedding

Miss Dorothy Hirleman of this city played Saturday at a very pretty wedding in Sterling, that of Miss Ruth Williams, daughter of Mrs. Enos Long, to Elmer C. Martin. Miss Hirleman played "The Melody of Love" as the processional for the wedding party. Miss Hirleman was also one of the four girl friends assisting in the serving of the wedding supper.

Mrs. Plummer Gives Next Bridge

Mrs. Duques entertained very pleasantly Thursday, starting the first of a chain of bridge parties in benefit of the Red Cross. Mrs. Chas. Dement received the prize. Mrs. J. P. Plummer will have the next in the chain on Tuesday, June 12th.

Attends U. of I. Graduation

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nichols will go to Champaign the coming Tuesday to attend on Wednesday the commencement exercises of the University of Illinois. Miss Josephine, their daughter, is a graduate this year.

Postponed Picnic

The Kingdom-Bend Aid Society was obliged to postpone its picnic, planned for Wednesday, at Lowell Park, because of the "un-picnicky" weather, and will hold it sometime when the weather smiles on picnics.

Presbyterian Junior Choir

Every member of the Junior Choir of the Presbyterian church is requested to be at the church on Saturday afternoon at one o'clock sharp to attend the last rehearsal before Children's Day.

To Iowa

Mrs. Shelby Cortright left for Iowa Wednesday where she will spend the summer with her husband who holds a lucrative position with a large jewelry store at Cedar Falls.

Returned from South

Mr. and Mrs. Starin have returned from a winter spent in the South and are again at their home, 402 S. Crawford. Their visit included points in Florida, Alabama, and Louisiana.

Here from New York

Mrs. A. W. Emmitt of Rochester, New York, is a guest at the Amos Bosworth home. Mrs. Emmitt's many friends will be glad of this opportunity to see her.

To Visit Sisters

Miss Leota Rice will leave Saturday for Deuton, Ill., to visit her sisters, Mrs. C. G. Suarez and Miss Pauline Rice.

Spent Day

Mrs. Hugh McKay was a guest Thursday of Mrs. Apelgreen.

Entertained

Miss Ingraham entertained Wednesday and Thursday, on Wednesday entertaining a bridge club.

Visiting Parents

Mrs. D. O'Hare of Newton, Iowa, is here for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reiland.

Guest from Chicago

Mrs. F. H. Hampton of Chicago came today to be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell. Mrs. Hampton has been a friend of the family for years and came, in particular, to attend the graduation exercises of the Dixon High School Class of '17 of which Miss Charlotte Campbell is a member.

Visited in New Castle

Miss Ruth Crawford, who attended the commencement exercises of the Colonial School at Washington, D. C., of which she was a graduate a year ago, is now visiting relatives in New Castle, Pa.

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Scramble Supper

Miss Mary Johnson of Loveland Place entertained the other members of the clerical force of the O. H. Martin store and a few other friends at her home last evening. A scramble supper was the beginning of a very pleasant evening.

Guest of Relatives

Miss Emma Sorbe of Albert, Ia., is a guest at the home of her uncle, Carl Sorbe, of 611 Depot Ave.

St. Paul's Choir

St. Paul's Choir will meet for rehearsal Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Entertain Missionary Society

Mrs. F. C. Brookner and Mrs. Myron Annis will entertain the Missionary Society of the First Baptist church on Thursday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, at 217 T. Fellows street. Subject of lesson, "The Bible and the People". Mrs. Harriet Byington, leader.

A large attendance is desired, as this will be the last meeting of the year.

Here from Hammond

John Barge, transfer manager of the American Steel Foundries at Hammond, Indiana, is here for a visit with his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Barge Martin, and with his children, Miss Elizabeth, and William.

Joins Family in Visit

Mr. Ferguson came out from Chicago last evening to join Mrs. Ferguson and daughter Frances, who are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Leslie.

Rev. O. M. Shaw Weds

The marriage of Rev. Olin M. Shaw, former pastor of the Brethren church of this city and now in charge of the pastorate at Milledgeville, to Miss Lottie Swegart of Franklin Grove was solemnized at noon today at the residence of Rev. C. W. Lehman of Franklin Grove.

Miss Swegart came to this section from Pennsylvania seventeen years ago and has made her home during that time with Rev. and Mrs. Lehman. For the past six years she has followed the profession of nurse.

The wedding was quietly solemnized with a few friends, including Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dickey of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lehman of Franklin Grove, to witness the ceremony. Mrs. Dickey and Mrs. Fox were friends of Mrs. Shaw's when they all lived in Pennsylvania.

The bridal gown was a charming gray Georgette crepe creation and her traveling gown is of gray sateen. Her flowers were cream roses arranged in a corsage bouquet.

The home was prettily decorated in bridal wreath and ferns, which formed a bank before which the bridal couple stood as the service was read. A luncheon of three courses was served after the ceremony, the table being attractively decorated with bridal wreath and bride's roses.

Rev. and Mrs. Shaw went to Chicago this afternoon and from there will go to Wichita, Kansas, where they will attend the annual Brethren conference, the General Brotherhood of the United States, to which Mr. Shaw goes as delegate of the Standing Committee of which he is a member. They will return in the course of several weeks to Milledgeville which will be their home.

Men's Club Banquet

The annual June banquet of the Men's Club of the M. E. church will be held Tuesday evening, June 12th. The Ladies Aid will serve the banquet at 6:30 o'clock. Dr. W. R. Wedderpoon, an orator of ability, who has spoken a number of times at the Rock River Assembly, will address the club at the close of the banquet.

Honors Mr. May

Miss Gertrude Castle entertained with four tables of "500" last evening, honoring Louis May, who has enlisted in the Navy and may be called for service at any time. The table decorations for the luncheon served after the games were in green and white, with the national colors attractively combined. Flags were used in the clever place cards and amid the flowers that formed the centerpiece.

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and the members will listen to a very interesting talk by Bob Frazer of Polio, who will tell of his experience in France with the American Ambulance corps. 1362 1361

LOST. Early Tuesday evening, child's brown sweater on street car or between business section and 4th St. and Crawford Ave. Finder please return to Dixon National bank. 1362 1361

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS, Dixon, soon. Men and women desiring government positions, departmental, postoffice, railway mail, customs, write for free particulars to J. C. Leonard (Former Government Examiner), Kenosha Bldg., Washington, D. C.

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GIVING AID TO THE HOUSEWIFE

Since the war began and it became evident that one of our chief duties would be to guarantee a food supply for the world Uncle Sam has been paying more attention to the housewife than in former times.

Each week the department of agriculture gets out a weekly news letter and for the last month or so the editor has been using his last page to advise against waste and to tell how leftover's can be used. He gives some good stuff, and it is aptly spoken regardless of the international scarcity in food-stuffs. Just because there is abundance here is no reason why we should waste everything we use.

Every bit of uneaten cereal, according to Uncle Sam's chief agriculturist, can be used to chicken soups, stews or gravies. Stale bread is the basis of many attractive meat dishes, hot breads and deserts. Every ounce of skimmed milk contains valuable nourishment, and sour milk can be utilized in very many ways.

Every piece of meat and fish can be combined with cereals to make meat cakes, meat or fish pies and to add flavor and food value to other dishes. Every spoonful of left-over gravy can be used in soups and souces or as flavoring for meat pies, croquettes and vegetables. Every bit of clean fat and every spoonful of drippings is valuable in cooking. Uncle Sam's chief advises you to save all water in which meat is boiled in order to use it in soup, stews and gravies.

To be efficient in the home you must know your job and be on it. Make it your business to know what foods and how much food your family needs to be in fighting trim. Learn to make the most of the foods you buy. Write to the department of Agriculture at Washington or your state agricultural college for bulletins telling you about the nature and uses of foods and how to feed your family economically or getting the greatest nourishment out of every pound of food that comes into your home.

SOBER THOUGHT ON THE WAR

The excitement of our entry into war for liberty in order that the world might be safe from democracy has passed away. The exaggerated patriotism of the man who yammered for war has surrendered to the officer giving commands to those who have come out for service.

The people at home owe the soldiers at the front one thing above all else, that they shall guard their passions, smother their emotions and be on their guard lest the intensity of their feelings obscure the cause of their nation's struggle. The people at home should not endanger the lives of American soldiers in order to appease a longing cry for vengeance. They should remember that they are at home, and that the lists were open for them to take up the fight, but that they stayed at home and remained silent, when the call for men went around.

We have some in training now, we have others dear to us who will see service, should the war last, and we sorrow at their loss, even if it be but for a day of their lives. To turn a man from the peaceful pursuits of life is a fearful thing and to train a nation to kill is a thing that should not be prolonged. We regret that war has come to our country and we insist that it must not be needlessly extended in order to enforce striking victory by either side. This is in line with President Wilson's idea of peace without victory. In no other way can permanent peace be found. The world will be made safe for democracy, not through compulsion, but through adjustment, compromise and conciliation.

RUNNING A NEWSPAPER IN CHINA.

Editors of American publications do not find it a difficult task to refuse manuscripts which fail to prove available for their use. They frankly, and in most instances without giving any reasons, simply send back such copies as they do not want. But not so in China. The return of a manuscript by an editor there imperils his life and he knows it. The *Onward* reports that only by the invariable use of the most gracious language can a Chinese editor expect to avert the terrible wrath of the contributor whose manuscript is declined, and save his own editorial head from swift decapitation.

"The following letter is an example of the Celestial editor's form which generally accompanies the return of a manuscript, says the *Onward*:

"Most honored brother of the Sun and Moon: Your slave is prostrate at thy feet. I kiss the ground before you and implore you to authorize me to speak and live. Your manuscript has permitted itself to be looked upon by us, and we have read it with enchantment. I swear on the tomb of my ancestors that I have never read anything more exalted. It is with fear and terror that I send it back."

"If I allowed myself to print this treasure, the president would immediately order me to use it forever as an example, and forbid me to dare print anything inferior. My literary experience enables me to declare that such literary pearls are only created once in 10,000 years, and that is why I take the liberty of returning it to you."

City in Brief

All goods sold by Wolf Chemical Co. are guaranteed to give satisfaction. Sold by Prescott & Schildberg. 791f

Chapman Leake is in Missouri looking after his farm interests there.

Copies of the Evening Telegraph of May 15th are wanted at this office.

J. B. Murray was in town yesterday from Amboy.

Healo weather is at hand. Ask any druggist as to the merits of Healo, the well known foot powder.

Mr. Schuck of Bloomington, millinery salesman, was in Dixon Thursday.

Louis Schumm went to Sublette Thursday.

Joshua Reed was here Thursday from the Kingdom.

J. E. Moyer returned Wednesday evening from a business visit to Chicago.

Mrs. Mame Dillon of Sterling was here yesterday visiting her sister, Mrs. John H. Byers.

Lincoln Cool of Grand Detour was here today.

Henry Briscoe went to Chicago today on business.

Mrs. Donner, a member of the south side high school faculty, will go to Chicago tomorrow to visit before returning to her home in Monroe, Wis. She will be principal of the Prophetstown school next year.

Jacob Herman, who has been in the employ of Jason Miller, resigned his position and will accept a position with Will Palmer at Grand Detour. He began work this morning.

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GERMAN LINE IN BELGIUM ROCKED

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The British in their attack used probably 20 per cent more guns, especially those of heavy caliber, than they employed in the battle of Arras.

More than 1,000,000 pounds of high explosives was blown up under the German forward positions. This, the most gigantic mining operation in the history of the war, spread panic among the Germans.

Tanks were in the thick of the fighting.

More than 1,000 Germans were taken prisoners early in the engagement.

The fighting continues under a mid-summer sun. The Germans have not yet rallied for the expected counter attack.

Messines Taken Early.

The village of Messines was reported to have been taken early in the fighting. It was also reported that Lenger and Zareeba had fallen and that Wytschaete had been surrounded by the British storming troops.

The British also captured important trench positions all the way from Observation ridge, southeast of Ypres, to Ploegsteert wood, north of Armentières.

Big Battle on, Says Berlin.

Berlin, June 8.—The German official war statement says, the battle in Flanders fully flared up after the most extensive explosions, and the most violent drum fire.

German troops Wednesday captured French positions for an extend of nearly one and one-quarter miles along the Chemin-des-Dames front, south of Parigny-Flain, in the Aisne region, the statement says.

ARMS VOTED HOME GUARDS

Senate Passes Bill Providing for Rifles and Other Equipment.

Washington, June 8.—The house passed the senate bill to authorize issue of rifles and other equipment for organization of home guards. The bill has the approval of the war department.

It gives the war department discretionary authority to equip "home guards having the character of state police or constabulary, and such other home guards as may be organized under the discretion of governors."

Macon Votes to Stay Dry.

Macon, Mo., June 8.—Macon voted to remain dry in the election by a majority of 121. The election was held to decide a contest instituted by the liquor forces when the city voted to oust saloons at a previous election.

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A certain Dixon young man arrived home after graduating from one of the large universities. Before leaving home to go forth into the world to make a place for himself his father called him aside to give him some advice. He said: "Young man, the advice I am giving you is the voice of experience speaking through your father. When you deal with men be honest and do right, and when you deal with women be honest but don't write."

The young man saw the point and promised to follow the advice of his parent.

Floyd Chapman is home from the Wisconsin university, where he has finished his first year.

The Word Butter.
Butter is an old English word, **butter**, coming from the Greek for cow and cheese.

GOVERNMENT EXPECTS LARGER WHEAT CROP

FORECAST FOR WHEAT IS SIXTEEN MILLION BUSHELS OVER LAST YEAR.

(Associated Press)

Washington, June 8—The government forecasts the wheat crop this year at six hundred and fifty-six million bushels compared to six hundred and forty million bushels last year.

Winter wheat this year is forecasted at three hundred and seventy-three millions and the spring wheat crop at two hundred and eighty-three million bushels.

Supervisor Charles Ewald of Reynolds township, and his brother Henry were here today on drainage business.

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Women's and boys' barefoot sandals, size 2½ to 7	\$1
Child's Tennis Shoes, black or white, 9 to 2	50c
Misses' or Boys' Tennis Shoes, black or white, 2½ to 5½	60c
Women's or Men's Tennis Shoes, black or white, 6 to 11	70c
Children's, Misses and Women's Low White Shoes at Low Prices.	
Here's a Real Opportunity	
MEN'S WORK SHOES, \$1.85	
Made of brown waterproof army duck, heavy fibe sole and heel.	
Boys' shoes, 9 to 13, wax calf	\$1.35
Boys' shoes, 1 to 1½, wax calf	\$1.50
Boys' shoes, 2½ to 6, wax calf	\$1.85
Men's Overalls	50c, 75c & \$1.00
Men's Union Overalls, all in one overall	\$1.95
Shoe Polish, Shinola or 2 in 1, a box	.50



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SYNOPSIS

Talbot Ward's challenges to Frank Munroe to a personal encounter to determine whether Munroe is fit to make a trip to California in search of gold is accepted. Munroe gets a hammerlock on Ward and wins the bout.

They choose the Panama route. Ward, it develops, is an old campaigner. On board ship they meet Johnny Fairfax and Yank Rogers. The four become partners.

CHAPTER VI.**Off For the North.**

WE accompanied Talbot in some bewilderment, for there was no ship in sight nor in prospect, and we could not understand any reason for this hasty, Talbot led the way directly to the steamship office.

"I want to see Brown," he asserted, naming the chief agent for the company.

The clerk hesitated. Brown was an important man and not to be disturbed for trivial matters. But Talbot's eye could be very assured.

"What is your business with Mr. Brown?" asked the clerk.

"It is with Mr. Brown," said Talbot firmly, "and I may add that it is to Mr. Brown's own interest to see me. Tell him just that and that Mr. Talbot Ward of New York city desires an immediate interview."

The clerk was gone for some moments, to the manifest annoyance of a dozen miners who wanted his attention. When he returned he motioned us to a screened off private office in the rear.

"Mr. Brown will see you," said he. We found Brown to be a florid, solidly built man of fifty, with a keen eye and a brown beard. He nodded to us briefly and looked expectant.

"We three men," said Talbot directly, "hold three tickets on your line. We were not fortunate enough to get passage on the next steamer, and our business will not permit us to wait until the one after. We want our money back."

Brown's face darkened. "That is a matter for my clerks, not for me," he said curtly. "I was told your business was to my advantage. I have nothing to do with tickets."

"One minute," said Talbot. "There are between two and three hundred men in this town each of whom bought a ticket from your company in New



York in the expectation, if not the understanding, that they were to get through passage immediately."

"No such thing was expected or guaranteed," interposed Brown abruptly.

"Not guaranteed nor expected by you by us, yes."

"I cannot argue that matter. I have no further time for you. Good day." And Brown once more reached his hand toward his belt.

"Suppose," said Talbot softly, leaning forward, "I should put it into the heads of those 300 men that they ought to get their passage money back?"

Brown's hand stopped in midair.

"They are large, violent, armed men, and they are far from pure home influences," went on Talbot mockingly. "Here's a sample of them," said he indicating my huge frame. "And there are a thousand or so more not directly interested, but dying for excitement."

"Are you trying to intimidate me, sir?" demanded Brown.

"I am just stating conditions."

"You are threatening me."

"Ah, that is different," said Talbot Ward.

Brown sat lost in thought for some moments. Then he reached forward and at last struck the bell.

"Let me have your tickets," he commanded us shortly.

He indorsed them and handed them to the clerk, together with a written order. We all sat in absolute silence for perhaps five minutes. Then the clerk returned with a handful of gold. This Brown counted over and shoved across to Talbot. The latter also counted it and thrust it in his pocket.

"Now," said Brown, with something approaching geniality, "I am counting on your honor to say nothing of this outside. I am gambling on your evident class in life at home."

"You have our promise, and it will be kept," said Talbot.

At our place we found that Yank had not returned. At first we thought

the stem into the bottom of the boat. Waters seemed to be crashing by, but by the time I had gathered myself together and risen to my knees we were outside the line of breakers and dancing like a gull over the smooth broad surges.

Ships could anchor no nearer than about a mile and a half offshore. By the time we had reached the craft she was surrounded by little boats bobbing and rubbing against her sides. She proved to be one of that very tally, bluff bow'd type then so commonly in use as whalers and freighters. The decks swarmed black with an excited crowd.

We rowed slowly around her. We were wet and beginning to chill. No way seemed to offer by which we could reach her decks save by difficult climbing, for the gang ladder was

nothing of this, but about dusk we found that all his belongings had disappeared.

We could not understand this sudden departure, except on the possible ground that Yank, realizing that now the party must split forces, had decided to seek new companions among those lucky enough to sail on the first steamer.

"Even then he needn't have been in such a hurry," complained Johnny a trifle bitterly. "And he needn't have thought we'd be in his way."

"Has he paid his share of the lodgings?" it occurred to me to ask.

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We bent our backs. The boat resisted, yielded, gathered headway. It seemed to be slipping away from me down a steep hill.

"Jump in!" yelled Talbot.

I gave a mighty heave and fell over

the stern into the bottom of the boat.

Waters seemed to be crashing by, but by the time I had gathered myself together and risen to my knees we were outside the line of breakers and dancing like a gull over the smooth broad surges.

Ships could anchor no nearer than about a mile and a half offshore. By the time we had reached the craft she was surrounded by little boats bobbing and rubbing against her sides.

She proved to be one of that very tally, bluff bow'd type then so commonly in use as whalers and freighters. The decks swarmed black with an excited crowd.

We rowed slowly around her. We were wet and beginning to chill. No way seemed to offer by which we could reach her decks save by difficult climbing, for the gang ladder was

nothing of this, but about dusk we found that all his belongings had disappeared.

We could not understand this sudden departure, except on the possible ground that Yank, realizing that now the party must split forces, had decided to seek new companions among those lucky enough to sail on the first steamer.

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He lay down in one of the bunks and closed his eyes.

"You'd better come up on deck into the fresh air," said Talbot.

"Fire ahead, Yank, please!" begged Johnny.

"Well," said Yank, "when I drew that steamer ticket it struck me that somebody might want it a lot more than I did, especially as you fellows drew blanks. So I hunted up a man who was in a hurry and sold it to him for \$500. Then I hired one of these sail rigged fishing boats and laid in grub for a week and went cruising out to sea five or six miles."

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TIME TABLE

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Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

Local Exp., Dly. ex Sun. 7:20 a. m. 23 Southern Exp. 11:10 a. m. 31 Clinton Exp. 6:09 p. m.

North Bound.

82 Ft. Dodge Exp.* 9:53 a. m. 24 Local Mail 6:35 p. m. 20 Local Exp. 8:40 p. m. Freeport Freight 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. 1v. Dixon Ar. Chicago

24 6:41 a. m. 9:15 a. m.

6:35 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.

18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

10 11:21 a. m. 2:00 p. m.

20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.

4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. 1v. Chicago Ar. Dixon

5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.

9:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.

13 10:45 a. m. 1:18 p. m.

19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.

27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:24 p. m.

11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 9:04 p. m.

x17 9:35 p. m. 12:06 a. m.

7 10:45 p. m. 12:28 a. m.

3 11:20 p. m. 2:22 a. m.

No. 1v. Dixon Ar. Peoria

801 8:30 a. m. 12:05 p. m.

* Train 17. Stops only for passengers for Canyon, Wyo., and beyond, or for Des Moines sleeping passengers.

OBITUARY

Avalina Lenora Clink was born June 16, 1851, Sublette, Lee County, Ill., on the old Clink homestead. She was married to Jacob Charles Rex July 2, 1870, at Sublette, Ill., and has resided in this locality since that time. As a result of the marriage seven children were born to them of whom two died in early childhood; namely, Mabel, living three years, and John, living nine months. Her husband, Jacob Charles Rex preceded the deceased to the better world by seven months and two days. Five children and families are left to mourn her departure.

Sadie M. McNinch, Frank A. Rex of Sublette, Ill., Jennie M. Wildesmith of Plano, Ill., Lela A. Hall of Franklin Grove, Ill., Clara E. Messer of Ashton, Ill., also one sister Mrs. J. T. Kearns of Omaha, Neb., and one brother, Joseph Clink, of Sublette, Ill. The grand children

of Sublette, Ill., are the great grandchildren.

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Special Warrant Under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 183, Series of 1916.

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Said assessment is payable in eight (8) annual installments. The amount of the first installment is \$430.24 and is due and payable on or before January 2nd, in each of the years 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925 both inclusive. All such installments bear interest at the rate of five per cent (5%) per annum payable annually on the 2nd day of April from the 5th day of June, A. D. 1917.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed against the premises represented by them in the assessment roll which has been heretofore confirmed in the County Court, at the Collector's Office in the City Hall in the City of Dixon within thirty days from and after the date hereof, if they desire to stop interest on their said assessment.

Dated this 6th day of June, A. D. 1917.

and many relatives and friends notified to call and pay the amount mourn the loss of this Christian mother. She became affiliated with the Methodist church in which has been heretofore confirmed her girlhood. She has been an in-lieu in the County Court, at the Collector's Office in the City Hall in the City of Dixon within thirty days from and after the date hereof, if they desire to stop interest on their said assessment.

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Mrs. Ella Crawford of Mendota spent last Friday and Saturday at the H. F. Bansau home.

Mrs. J. Barton and children expect to leave this week for Lancaster, Kan., where they will visit home folks for a month or six weeks

Mrs. C. A. Murray of Chicago was here last week to help Mr. Laue settle the insurance losses, which were caused by the storm a week ago last Saturday. He returned home on Friday and had a paralytic stroke and died on Monday.

Dr. Frank Gardner of Moline, Ill., was here on business Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Romana Lauer went to Springfield last Friday and returned home Tuesday evening.

The Cinch club met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Bettendorf last Wednesday afternoon.

The Y. P. A. members will hold their monthly business meeting at the home of Mrs. Clark on Friday evening, June 8th.

Grandma Barton has been very poorly for the past few months and was taken to the home of her daughter at Sandwich, Ill., on last Friday.

On last Monday morning at about 5:30 a large balloon passed over Sublette. We understood it was Capt. P. J. McCullough of the Missouri branch of Aeronautical service

and four lieutenants who left St. Louis on last Sunday for a trial trip to Chicago. Mr. Forest Blowers called to the men as they were passing over and they asked if they were going the right direction for Chicago. The balloon was traveling toward the northeast.

Communion services will be held at the Union Church on next Sunday evening, May 10th. Rev. Kickhoefer, presiding elder of Freeport, will be present and conduct the service.

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Illinois Banks Merge.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., June 8.

The merger of the First National bank and the State Bank of Edwardsville, following the purchase of \$60,000 worth of stock by State Senator Ed S. Curtis and his brother, V. S. Curtis, both of Grant Park, is announced.

Oil Painting Blown 50 Miles.

URBANA, ILL., June 8.

An oil painting, the property of a Mattoon family whose house was wrecked by the recent tornado, was found on the farm of Henry Slade, near Urbana, fifty miles from Mattoon.

Lanark Phone Companies Merge.

LANARK, ILL., June 8.

The Lanark Mutual and the Lanark Independent Telephone companies have been merged, the business of the merged companies to be carried on under the name of the Lanark Mutual.

GALESBURG BANKER SUICIDE

L. F. Wertman Was Despondent Over

His Ill Health.

GALESBURG, ILL., June 8.

L. F. Wertman, for twenty years president of the First National bank and for sixteen a member of the board of education, committed suicide by shooting at Galesburg.

He was seventy-two years old and despondent.

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